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Applicant: Takeyoshi IKEURA et al.

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 15, 2003, and further to the Request for Reconsideration filed on December 10, 2003, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

A listing of the claims begins on page 2 of this paper for the convenience of the Examiner. No amendments are being made by this listing.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.